

Amendment No. 1 to HB2096

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2071

House Bill No. 2096*

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 71, Chapter 5, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

71-5-317.

(a)

(1) The department shall submit a report to the general assembly no later than October 31, 2022, and annually thereafter, regarding:

(A) Information from the preceding federal fiscal year related to all instances in which the department sought, applied for, accepted, or renewed a waiver of work requirements under the supplemental nutrition assistance program (SNAP) during that federal fiscal year, including details about why the waiver was sought, applied for, accepted, or renewed, the duration of the waiver, and the location where the waiver was applicable; and

(B) Information from the preceding federal fiscal year related to the number of recipients receiving SNAP benefits in the state, the amount of benefits received, the number of recipients subject to the work requirements of SNAP, and the number of recipients participating in the SNAP employment and training program.

(2) The report may be submitted electronically.

(b) The department shall not exercise the state's option to provide an exemption from the work requirement under 7 U.S.C. § 2015(o)(6)(E).

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.